

SKULL FRACTURED IN AUTO CRASH

Victor Anderson Struck by L. L. Savage's Machine on Brigham Street.

WAS RIDING A BICYCLE

CHAUFFEUR CONVEYS VICTIM TO L. D. S. HOSPITAL.

As the result of an automobile accident yesterday morning Victor Anderson, a carpenter, is in a critical condition at the L. D. S. hospital, and may not survive his injuries.

The accident occurred at Brigham and E. streets. The automobile of Lester L. Savage was going east on Brigham street, and slowed down to pass a wagon coming down E. street. Mr. Anderson was riding a bicycle going west. He turned out to pass the wagon and, in doing so, struck the mud guard of the rear wheel of the machine. Bert Gleason, the chauffeur, stopped the machine almost instantly, and went to the aid of the injured man.

Besides the chauffeur, those in the car were Mrs. Savage, Miss Mildred McMillan and a small brother of Miss McMillan. They took a street car home, and the chauffeur took the injured man in the automobile to the L. D. S. hospital. Dr. J. L. Richards made an examination of Anderson and found that he was suffering from a fracture of the skull and several bruises. He has not yet recovered consciousness.

Witnesses say that Gleason was not to blame for the accident.

WED QUIETLY IN OGDEN

Miss Chloe Nelson and Emerson J. Miller Announce Marriage One Week Later.

Miss Chloe Nelson, daughter of A. C. Nelson, state superintendent of public instruction, and Emerson J. Miller, head of the sporting goods department of the Strevell-Patterson Hardware company, were quietly married at Ogden Saturday, Aug. 2, and the fact did not become known until yesterday.

Mrs. Miller up to the time of her marriage was employed as a stenographer in her father's office. After the wedding the couple returned to Salt Lake. Last week the bride was at her usual station and all addressed her as "Miss Nelson."

The young people were married by the Rev. John E. Carver of the Presbyterian church at Ogden. They have taken up their residence at 315 East Second South street.

BIRTH RATE SLACKENS.

Week's Record Shows Fourteen Boys and Twenty Girls.

The stark spent the past week quietly, evidently being weary of his labors during July, when he brought 213 youngsters into the world in Salt Lake. The number of births for the week, as reported to the department of health, were thirty-four, of which fourteen were males and twenty females. Seventeen deaths, ten males and seven females, were also reported.

Ten cases of contagious diseases were reported, consisting of two cases of scarlet fever, four of diphtheria, two of measles and two of typhoid fever. Seven cases of scarlet fever and six cases of diphtheria remained in quarantine at the close of the week.

GREEK MEETS GREEK.

Restaurant Keeper Makes Deal Involving Expired Lease.

The county attorney yesterday issued a warrant for the arrest of Constantine Contes, a Greek restaurant keeper formerly located at 71 Commercial street, on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses.

The complaining witness is M. A. Botatis. He asserts that Contes induced him to buy a half interest in his business for \$12, alleging that he had a lease which did not expire for nine months. Shortly afterwards both Greeks were ejected by the landlord, and it appears that Contes' lease had expired before he made the deal.

VICTIM KNOWN HERE.

Jack Livingstone Badly Injured in Boulder Expedition.

Jack Livingstone, a machinist, who was seriously injured in the powder explosion at Boulder Saturday morning, is well known in Salt Lake. He was employed in Salt Lake for about a year as foreman of the repair department of the Sherman auto company, leaving here last spring for Denver. Livingstone was chauffeur for several Salt Lake automobilists during his stay here. He has a wife and child living in Denver.

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DAVIS MAY KEEP THE CHAIR WARM

"American" Insurgents Plan to Delay Election of a New Mayor.

SQUABBLE GROWS WARM

BLACK AND CRABTREE HOPE TO LAND DAVIS IN OFFICE.

A. J. Davis probably will be the next mayor of Salt Lake; that is, he will be "acting mayor" from midnight Monday until the council can elect his successor.

The "American" contingent in the council yesterday practically gave up all hope of securing the attendance of Councilmen Carter and O'Donnell on Monday night, and without them they will have only seven votes, and it takes eight to elect. Carter is somewhere in Nevada with his family, and no word has been received from him as yet, and it is not thought possible that he can return in time for the meeting. O'Donnell is up in the Jackson Hole country, seventy-five miles from the railroad and telephone station at Idaho Falls, and all efforts to reach him have been in vain. President Davis returns from Chicago Sunday morning and, of course, will be ready to assume the duties of mayor if called upon to do so even for a short period.

May Remain Away.

If there is no possibility of securing a full attendance of "American" purifiers at Monday's meeting, all the "American" members will no doubt stay away with the exception of President Davis, and if all the Democrats and Councilman Preece, the sole remaining Republican, attend this will make only seven present, one short of a quorum, and no business can be transacted. The "Americans" are afraid to go without a majority, as the Democrats might possibly cause considerable disturbance by trying to elect a mayor themselves.

Back of the apparent inability to reach either O'Donnell or Carter, there is a scheme which has been concocted by Black and Crabtree to delay the election for a week in order that they may have time to line up the council against the program of the "persuaders," appointed by the party magnates to compel them to accept William J. Halloran.

As already indicated, these two worthies are opposed to a man of Halloran's caliber becoming mayor, and they are seeking to delay matters in the hope that some other arrangements can be made. President A. J. Davis is their candidate, and they are working night and day to land the job for him. With Davis in the chair, there would be no let up in the present plans which the "reformers" have been working out.

Persuaders Are Busy.

In the meantime the "persuaders" are conducting a gum-shoe campaign in order to land Halloran. The committee on persuasion feels deeply that the interests of the party are at stake and, throwing aside all reserve, they have entered valiantly into the fight for their candidate.

Messrs. Darnier and Seifert are threatening. Colonel Wall is testy and obdurate, the smiling David C. Dunbar is doing some diplomatic work, and McMillan is just "persuading." Behind them stand the solid phalanx of party magnates and "boosters" exerting their combined power to bring about the desired result. Under the circumstances it would seem that the council is "up against it," and must as a matter of course accept the dictation of Black and Crabtree are resourceful "twins" and, with the assistance of Davis, whom they hope to elect, and the stubborn Mulvey, can be counted on to put up a brave fight.

The city is watching the squabble with deep and abiding interest.

TAKES MAID MARIAN PART

Miss Hazel Taylor of Provo Will Be Seen With Local Opera Company in "Robin Hood."

Miss Hazel Taylor has accepted the part of Maid Marian in the opera of "Robin Hood." Mrs. Emma Ramsey Morris was in the first group to play this part, but on account of being overworked through the past season, Mrs. Morris felt that she was entitled to a rest and has given up the part. Miss Taylor is the daughter of George Taylor, and is not unknown to musical circles in Salt Lake, having appeared here quite recently in "The Beggar Student," produced under the direction of Professor Anthony Lund, who up to last year was Miss Taylor's teacher. During the past season she has been in New York engaged in musical studies, and has returned much improved in her art. She has every charm requisite for the part of Maid Marian, and will no doubt score a hit when the opera is produced in September. The rest of the cast remains as already announced. Professor McMillan is still hard at work on the choruses, which are more pretentious than any yet attempted by the company.

WANT BIG TREES SAVED

Poplar Grove Residents Seek to Secure Water from Jordan River for Irrigation.

The residents of Poplar Grove are indignant over the neglect into which the magnificent poplar trees, which give the section its name, have been allowed to fall, and Friday night forty citizens met at Walkershaw's store in Poplar Grove and organized the Poplar Grove Improvement association.

Another meeting is to be held next Friday night at the Poplar Grove Baptist church, when officers will be elected and committees appointed. The association will endeavor to have water from the Jordan river pumped into the ditch that already runs to Poplar Grove and secure water for irrigating the trees of that section, many of which are rapidly being killed.

STRIKING MESSENGERS DECIDE AGAINST VIOLENCE; NO MESSAGES TO DELIVER

Seventeen messenger boys, formerly in the employ of the Western Union and Utah District companies, who went on strike Friday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock, showed up for their first meeting yesterday forenoon in Federal Labor hall, where the striking Western Union operators are making their headquarters. The kids were cleaner than a new pin and ready for anything the occasion required. There was no formal call to order, neither was there reading of the minutes of the previous meeting and approval of the same, the affixing of the signature of the president and the attest by the clerk. The kids just met-the-bunch, as President A. F. Palm of the Telegraphers' union was asked by "Fritz" Davidson, the recognized leader of the "bunch," to talk to the boys.

"Who are you?" asked Palm.

"We're the executive board," modestly replied Fritz.

Mr. Palm addressed the boys briefly, advising them, one and all, to keep away from the Western Union office and from its immediate vicinity.

"We'll give you plenty of notice when our strike is over, and the best thing you can do," said Mr. Palm, "is to stay out of the way of the police and the army, and get up a baseball game. Don't worry. Let the other people do the worrying. Be decent and do as your mother tells you, and we will see that you land right side up if you want us to."

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PREACHER OFFERS CASH PRIZES TO STIMULATE INTEREST IN THE BIBLE

Students of the Bible will have an opportunity of turning their knowledge into gold this week. The Rev. S. G. Huntington and Evangelist M. H. St. John of the Adventist church have offered \$100 in prizes for persons who can give scriptural texts answering certain questions.

The prizes will be given out at the Adventist tent on Market street, where nightly meetings are held, next Sunday evening, Aug. 18.

Five prizes of \$20 each will be given as follows:

For one text that says Sunday or the first day of the week is the Sabbath of the Lord, or commands its observance upon the Christian church as an holy day.

For one text that says explicitly that man possesses an immortal soul.

For one text that says that Christ was married to the Marys and Martha at Cana.

For one text that says that the first seven days of creation were long, indefinite periods of time.

For one text that commands infant baptism.

Inference or interpretation will not be accepted in the contest. A plain and explicit declaration from the Bible is required in each instance.

Three competent judges will be selected during the week to make decisions as to awards. Answers should be deposited in sealed envelopes and deposited in the box conveniently located at the door of the tent.

The contest will end at 9:30 o'clock Saturday evening, Aug. 17.

TORREY DOING GREAT WORK

Coming to Salt Lake from Atlanta, Where He Secured Countless Conversions.

Dr. R. A. Torrey, the noted evangelist, will be in Salt Lake next Tuesday evening and will hold services at the First Methodist church. Salt Lakers will then have an opportunity of hearing the man who has probably held more revival meetings and spoken to larger audiences in all parts of the globe than any other living evangelist. For the past ten years Dr. Torrey and Mr. Alexander, who will be in Salt Lake, have toured the world, holding meetings in almost every civilized country and meeting with enthusiastic reception.

Recently the evangelists held a revival at Atlanta, Ga. For a week the tent in downtown Atlanta was filled to its capacity of 4,000, and the affair is described as having been the greatest example of religious fervor produced by the evangelists in the history of the world. The number of conversions credited to the week's stay is placed in the thousands.

Dr. Torrey is known in every part of the United States. Last year he returned from a series of revivals in England that are still talked of in the British Isles. The same services, led by Mr. Alexander, has always been a feature of the Torrey revivals and will probably be greatly appreciated in Salt Lake. Dr. Torrey is accompanied by his 15-year-old daughter Blanche, who is assisting him in his work.

SUES TO REGAIN FORTUNE

Stock Pledged for Small Loan Unable; White Wants It Back.

P. D. White, according to a suit filed by him in the district court yesterday against the Success Mining company and M. Rudallet, in November, 1901, borrowed \$74,000 from the company and gave him 10,000 shares of stock in the mining company as security. Now the stock is worth \$122 a share, and he wants them back.

After the transaction it appears that Rudallet assigned the shares to Rudallet, and the latter, January last, commenced suit before Justice Dana T. Smith to perfect his title. No summons was served on White, although it is alleged, his Denver address was known. Justice Smith ordered the stock sold to pay the balance of \$49 with interest due on the original indebtedness to Rudallet, and the court awarded the stock as actual security, and failed to cover the amount due by the amount. Rudallet then endeavored to compel the mining company to accept the transfer of the stock, and upon their refusal last month brought an action in the district court.

White says that he did not give Rudallet the stock as actual security, and that he never assigned it over to him. It was simply to be held by him until White paid the bill, it is alleged. For this reason he claims Rudallet's title is worth nothing.

OIL COMPANY FORMED.

Washington County Concern Files Articles in Salt Lake.

The Dixie Oil Land company of Salt Lake filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk yesterday. This is the second of the companies growing out of the recent discovery of oil in Washington county to file articles here.

The capital stock is \$1,000,000, with shares at a par value of \$1 each. There are 400,000 shares of common stock. The officers are: Frank Knox, president; James R. Clark, vice president; C. C. Crismon, secretary and treasurer. The other directors are J. W. Curran, George W. Moyer, J. W. McKim and H. S. Knight.

The Sprague Keeler company of Lark and Ritchfield filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk yesterday. The concern will engage in the hotel business at the towns named. The capital stock is \$10,000, with shares at \$25 each. The incorporators are Orson Keeler, D. L. Sprague and E. G. Ricketts.

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SCHRAMMS

"WHERE THE CARS STOP."

FRAUD CHARGED IN MINING SUIT

W. A. Twitchell and Lindsay Estate Sue Heirs of James McGarry.

LARGE AMOUNT AT STAKE

MINING CLAIMS IN IRON SPRINGS DISTRICT INVOLVED.

A series of frauds extending over a period of seventeen years are alleged in a suit over the title to \$100,000 worth of mining claims in the Iron Springs district, Iron county, Utah, brought in the district court yesterday by William A. Twitchell and Alice Lindsay, administrators of the estate of James R. Lindsay, against James C. McGarry, E. C. McGarry, Lillian M. Wilson, E. Harper, Elizabeth E. Harper, Edna S. McGarry, J. F. Younger, J. M. Wicks, Sherman McGarry, Sheridan McGarry and Elizabeth McGarry.

As a result of the filing of the suit, Judge Armstrong appointed the Salt Lake Security & Trust company receivers for \$54,000 due the defendants on a sale of the property to Patrick Ryan for \$100,000, and payable at McCornick & Co.'s bank before Aug. 13, 1907.

Claims Are Relocated.

It appears that in 1890 the property was located by Twitchell, Lindsay and James McGarry, deceased. McGarry, it is said, represented to Lindsay and Twitchell that he had procured a purchaser for the claims for a large sum of money and induced them to give him a trust deed in order that he might sell. In the event of a failure to sell, McGarry was to still retain the trust and spend the option money in improving the claims.

The sale was not consummated, but McGarry, it is said, violated his trust agreement and allowed the titles to over half of the claims to lapse by reason of failure to do the assessment work, and then relocated the properties to which it claimed. Twitchell and the Lindsay estate are still entitled to a one-third interest.

McGarry died intestate in 1903, but prior to his death conveyed all his title and interest in the properties to the defendants named in this suit. The interest of the plaintiffs is, it is further claimed, were known by all the defendants when they secured the alleged title to the property through McGarry.

Sold for \$100,000.

In February, 1906, the defendants, it is said, agreed in writing to sell the claims for \$100,000 to Patrick Ryan, which sum was to be paid in sundry partial payments at McCornick's bank. Of this amount \$45,000 has already been paid and divided among the defendants, and there is still \$54,000 due, and according to the assertion made, must be paid before Aug. 13. It is for this amount that the plaintiffs ask the recovery until their rights in the properties can be adjudicated.

The complaint goes on to state that the defendants, "as a part of said fraudulent intent to defraud the said Twitchell and Lindsay," concealed the fact of making the sale to Ryan until after they had secured \$45,000. Then, as the story goes, the defendants, James McGarry and Ernest McGarry, "as a part of said fraudulent purpose," represented to Twitchell that they could sell the claims for a small sum of money, and represented that his share would be \$1,000. Thus, it is claimed, they acknowledged his title. Before the alleged offer was accepted Twitchell discovered the scheme and the suit is a consequence.

The value of the one-third interest held by the plaintiffs is placed at \$75,000.

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To Haul Material.

In addition to this there is a clause allowing the company to use the old right of way of the Emigration canyon railway in order that it may haul ballast material from that point. This will no doubt cause considerable opposition, as the council has set its foot down upon hauling material through the streets on electric cars unless P. J. Kilgus is favored.

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